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SUBJECT: RRMTTC GRANT AGREEMENT AMENDMENT

REFS: (A) LOME 0468 (B) STATE 053516 (C) STATE 0447,3
(D) STATE 035724 (E) STATE 278845 (F) STATE 275740

1. CONTINUING RESOLUTION AGAIN IN EFFECT BUT WILL LAST ONLY UNTIL MIDNIGHT MARCH 25. URGE EARLIEST POSSIBLE OBLIGATION DOLS 200,000 UNDER SUBJECT GRANT AGREEMENT. CONTRACTOR'S FUNDS EXHAUSTED SINCE MID-NOVEMBER 1974 AND FUNDING PROBLEM MUST BE IMMEDIATELY RESOLVED BEFORE EXPIRATION OF CR.

2. WE HAVE IMPRESSION THAT CERTAIN ENTENTE FUND STAFF MEMBERS BELIEVE THEIR REFUSAL SIGN INTERIM AMENDMENT TO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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GRANT AGREEMENT MAY HASTEN APPROVAL REVISED PROP APPROVAL

AND/OR STRENGTHEN EF POSITION IN NEGOTIATIONS CONCERNING TERMS TO BE INCLUDED DEFINITIVE GRANT AGREEMENT AMENDMENT FOLLOWING PROP APPROVAL. REQUEST AID OFFICERS STRESS THAT EF EFFECTIVELY WITHOLDING PAYMENT FOR SERVICES ALREADY DELIVERED BY PHILCO-FORD. BELIEVE THIS SITUATION POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS TO PROJECT. APART FROM POSSIBLE REACTION FROM PHILCO-FORD, AID OFFICERS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT FUNDS NOT OBLIGATED FOR AGREED UPON PURPOSES MAY BE IN DANGER OF DEALLOTMENT DUE LEGISLATIVE PROBLEMS RE TOTAL AID BUDGET. AS FIELD AWARE PER REFTEL (B), IT HAS ALREADY BECOME NECESSARY TO REDUCE FY 1975 FUNDING LEVEL FOR THIS PROJECT. AFR/CWR HOPES ADDITIONAL FUNDS BEYOND AMOUNT CURRENTLY ALLOTTED WILL BE AVAILABLE WHEN REVISED PROP APPROVED AND CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION COMPLETED. THESE ACTIONS BEING EXPEDITED TO EXTENT POSSIBLE.

3. TEXT G.A. AMENDMENT CONTAINED REFTEL (E)" WHICH ALSO AUTHORIZES U.S. AMBASSADOR TO IVORY COAST OR ADO/NIAMEY EXECUTE. REFTEL (C) AUTHORIZES CHARGE LOME. ADVICE OF ALLOTMENT DATA CITED REFTEL (F). SUGGEST U.S. REPRESENTATIVE MOST ACCESSIBLE TO MR. KAYA THIS WEEK SIGN GRANT AGREEMENT AMENDMENT. PLEASE NOTIFY WHEN EXECUTED. DECONTROL 03/17/76. ROBINSON

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